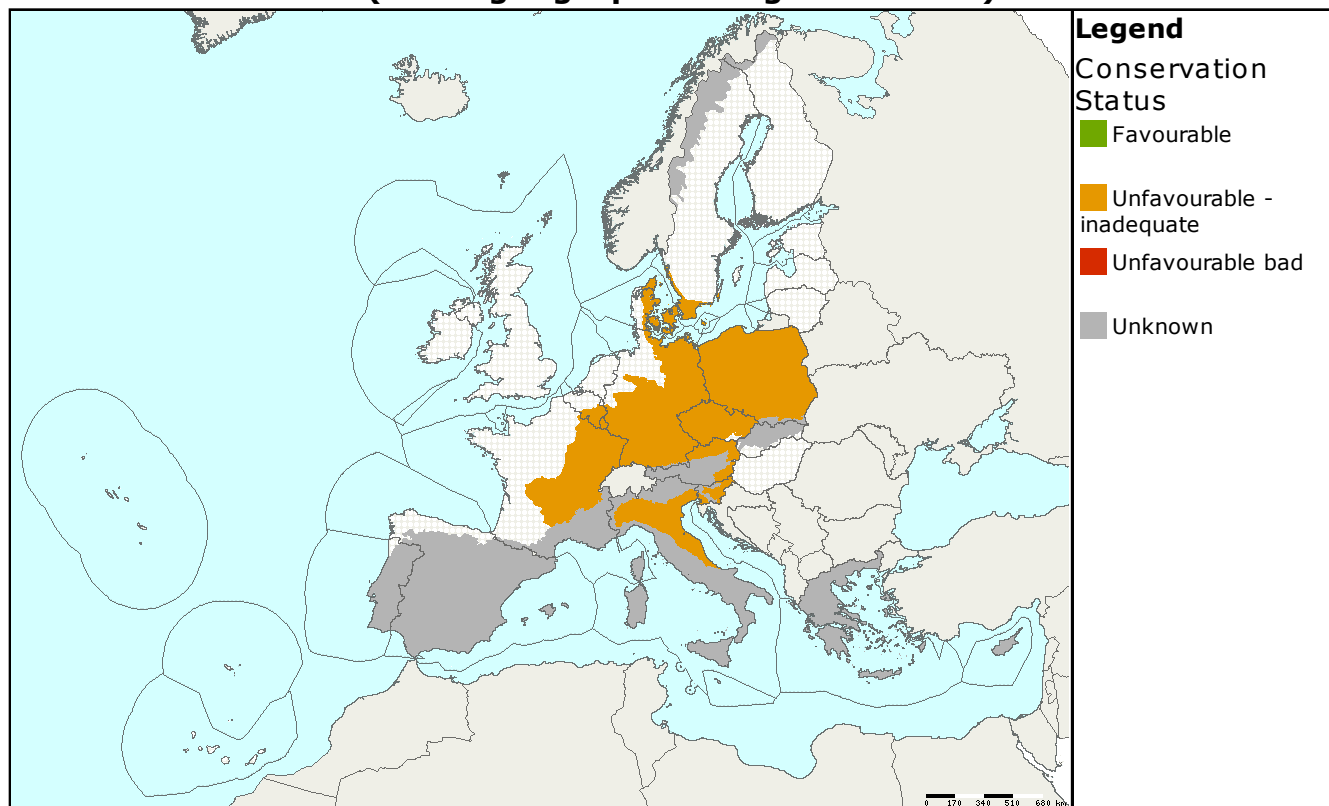


Habitat code: **91B0**
 Habitat name: **Thermophilous Fraxinus angustifolia woods**

Habitat group: **forests**
 Regions: **ALP CON MED**

Assessments of conservation status at the European level (all biogeographical regions - EU25)

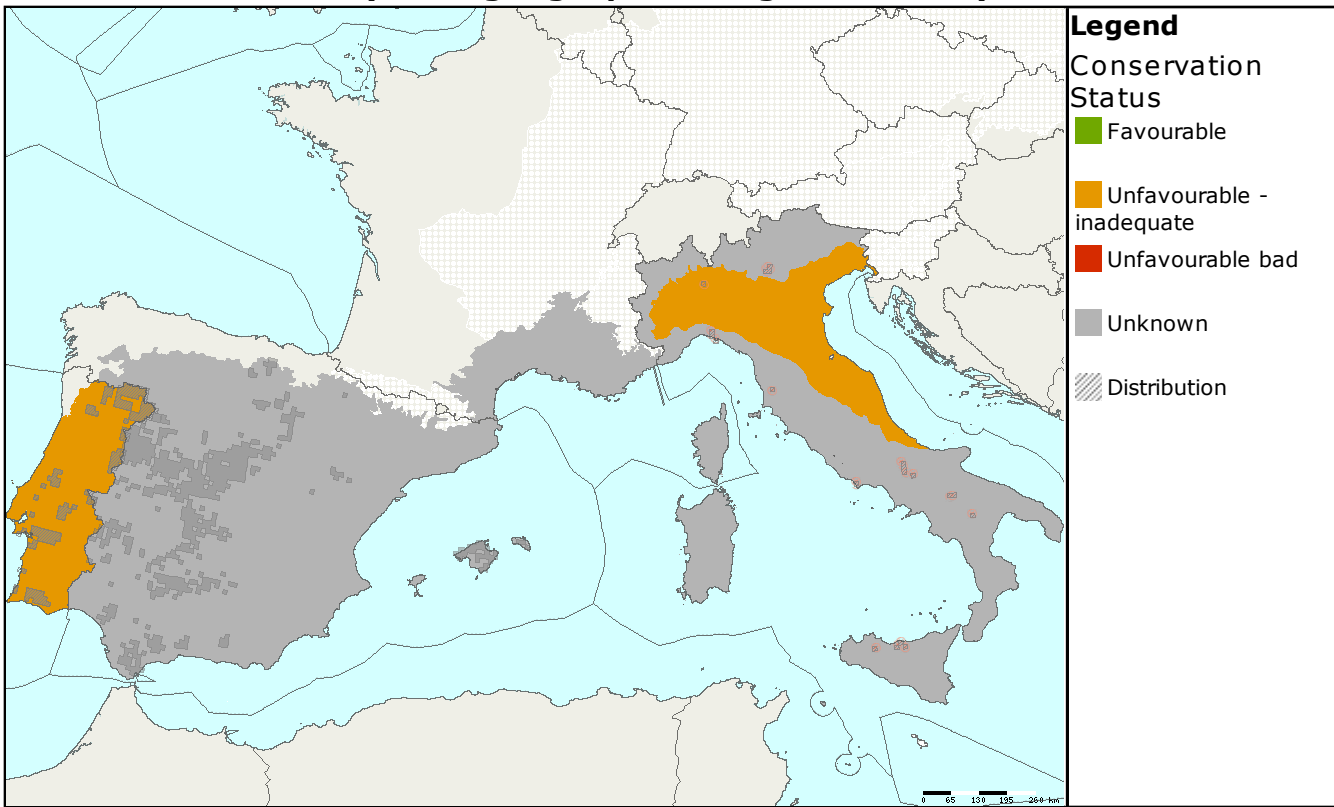


MS	Biogeographic Region	Conservation status assessment					Km ²	Trend in area
		Range	Area	Structure & function	Future prospects	Overall		
EU25	ALP						18	=
EU25	CON						1	=
EU25	MED						>1254	

Forest formations dominated by narrow-leaved ash (*Fraxinus angustifolia*), often with downy oak (*Quercus pubescens*) or Pyrenean oak (*Q. pyrenaica*), which does not occur along watercourses but rather in warm and dry locations. This habitat occurs rarely in southwestern and southern Europe. No map of distribution was provided by Spain but the habitat is widely distributed in Spain, particularly in the western half of the country.

The status of the habitat is 'unknown' except in the Continental region, where it is assessed as 'unfavourable inadequate'. The reports provided by the Member States are incomplete with several parameters assessed as unknown. Better information is required. However intensive grazing and conversion to plantations threaten the habitat.

Assessments of conservation status as reported by Member states (all biogeographical regions - EU25)



MS	Biogeographic Region	Conservation status assessment					Km ²	Trend in area	Data quality
		Range	Area	Structure & function	Future prospects	Overall			
IT	ALP						18	=	2
IT	CON						1	=	2
ES	MED						1208.7	X	
FR	MED						N/A	X	3
IT	MED						45	=	2
PT	MED						N/A	=	

Data quality is based on as assessment by each Member State, 1 = good, 2 = medium, 3 = poor

This information is derived from the Member State national reports submitted to the European Commission under Article 17 of the Habitats Directive in 2007 and covering the period 2001-2006. More detailed information is available at

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